

Appl. No. 10/661,317  
Atty. Docket No. 9033  
Amdt. dated November 16, 2005  
Reply to Office Action of October 24, 2005  
Customer No. 27752

### REMARKS

#### Claim Status

Claims 1-3 are pending in the present application. No additional claims fee is believed to be due.

Claim 4 is canceled without prejudice.

It is believed these changes do not involve any introduction of new matter. Consequently, entry of these changes is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested.

#### Response to Requirement for Restriction of Inventions

The Examiner has required, under 35 USC §121, election of a single disclosed invention for prosecution on the merits. This hereby confirms the election to prosecute the invention designated in the Office Action as Invention I. This election is made without traverse. Claims 1-3 are drawn to this invention.

Claim 4 has been canceled by this amendment as being drawn to a non-elected invention.

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Conclusion

In light of the above remarks, it is requested that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §121. Early and favorable action in the case is respectfully requested. Applicants' attorney invites the Examiner to contact her by phone with any questions that may arise.

This response represents an earnest effort to place the application in proper form and to distinguish the invention as now claimed from the applied references. In view of the foregoing, reconsideration of this application, entry of the amendments presented herein, and allowance of Claims 1-3 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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